

Information Bureau.

I need a fine suit of clothes and am not a judge of goods to whom can I go and rely on their honesty and good judgment?
KRUGER & WARNER

If you want the correct styles in clothing, get B. Kuppenheimer's make of
KRUGER & WARNER

If Kuppenheimer's clothing should fail to give entire satisfaction what am I to do? Get another free of charge of
KRUGER & WARNER

Of whom can I get the best values in overcoats, and also the ones that fit and hang right? Of
KRUGER & WARNER

For a fine pair of trousers that fit as only expert pants makers produce what label should I look for on each pair? "R. & W." and you can find them from \$6.00 down to \$2.50 at
KRUGER & WARNER'S and that is the only place they are to be had in the city.

For heavy, substantial work pants what make should I enquire for? "The Malone." Where?
KRUGER & WARNER'S

This season I am going to try Union Suits in underwear and I want the best, where will I be able to get them? Of
KRUGER & WARNER

they handle the celebrated "Bowling Green Goods" from \$4.50 down to \$1.00 a suit.

Fur Coats will soon be a necessity and I want a good one, please steer me right now. Go to
KRUGER & WARNER

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Can I really rely on this firm of whom you say so much? If you ever find I have given you a wrong tip let me know and also tell
KRUGER & WARNER

your troubles.

Who keeps the neatest and cleanest establishment in the city?
KRUGER & WARNER

Mackinaw Jackets and Duck Coats of all kinds from \$4.00 down are to be had where? Of
KRUGER & WARNER

Well, I trust I have not exhausted your patience entirely, but I thank you for your valued information and will try and profit by your good advice, and also see that all my friends do likewise. Please don't say anything about what I said to Kruger & Warner or they will be all swelled up on themselves.

Kruger & Warner,

Clothiers and Furnishiers.

GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.

If I should desire a shoe that would "make life's walk easy" what make should I purchase? Lewis A. Crossett's.
KRUGER & WARNER

Who leads in assortment of Trunks, Suit Cases and Handbags?
KRUGER & WARNER

Why ask so many questions regarding clothing and furnishings? Because I have a score of friends that are going to buy a lot of goods this fall and I am going to start them to the right place.
KRUGER & WARNER'S

If I wanted a good, solid, honest, union made pair of shoes, what would you advise? Getting a pair of the John Mitchell \$2.50 shoes of
KRUGER & WARNER

All the latest novelties and newest creations in neckwear are to be had where? At
KRUGER & WARNER'S

Do Kruger & Warner want to do all the business in their line? No! They are satisfied to do a part of it but they are after a very large part of it.

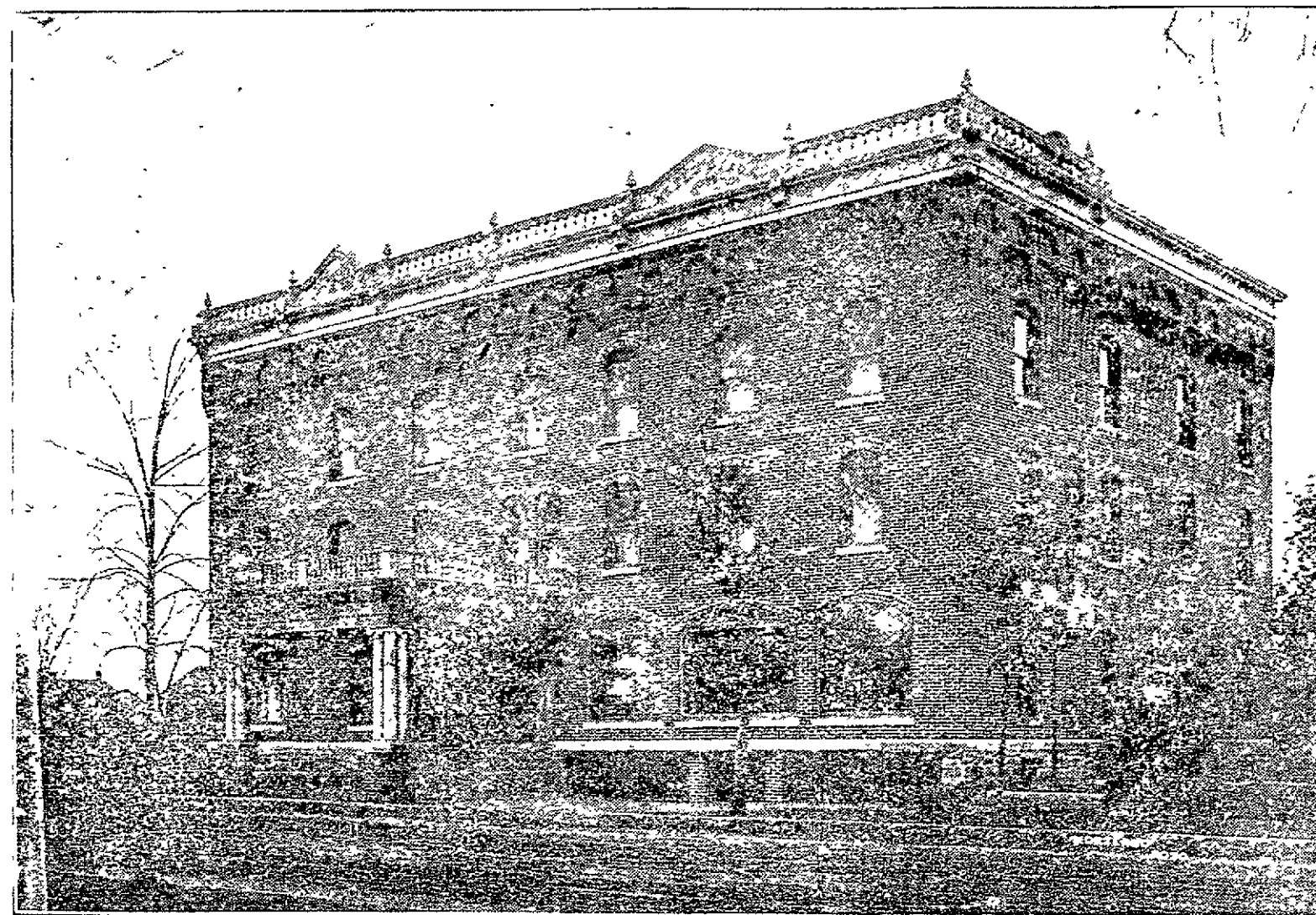
Can you put me on? I want a new hat, who will be more apt to have the latest?
KRUGER & WARNER

What clothing and furnishing store has the well earned reputation of keeping the best goods at moderate prices?
KRUGER & WARNER

I want some of the Monarch Shirts, tell me, please, who handle them. "Echo"
KRUGER & WARNER

I have forgotten where you said to go for the largest assortment of Gloves and Mittens from the finest to the cheapest. Go to
KRUGER & WARNER

THE NEW HOTEL DIXON.



The new Hotel Dixon will be opened to-morrow evening with a six o'clock dinner, the finishing touches being now in progress, so that at that time it is thought that everything will be in readiness to show the building to the public.

The interior of the structure now presents a very handsome appearance and there is no question that when entirely complete it will rank with the best hostleries in the northern part of the state.

The basement of the hotel contains the buffet and barber shop, both of which are fitted with the latest style of furniture and the most approved patterns of everything. On this floor are also the bathroom, connected with the barber shop, the laundry of the hotel, furnace rooms, cellar and storerooms. The barbershop and buffet have tile floors and are finished in oak, very dark, and present a handsome appearance.

The main floor of the building contains the office, parlors, dining rooms, kitchen, washrooms, etc., and no pains have been spared to make each room a model in its way. The office and wash rooms are finished in dark oak, with tile floors, and the parlors have been new carpeted with brussels and otherwise beautified in a manner that makes them very inviting. A fine line of leather furniture has also been placed in the office so that this part of the house is a picture of comfort and will no doubt be appreciated by the traveling public.

The hotel proper has a total of forty two bedrooms, and these have been all newly furnished and as all are well lighted there are some very pleasant apartments. The building has bath-

rooms on every floor, is heated throughout with steam, and has electric lights in every room. The rooms are all connected with the office with electric annunciators and guests will be served at any time of the day or night in their room with whatever their desires may dictate.

The fittings of the hotel have all been selected with great taste. There is nothing incongruous anywhere in the building and when things have not down to a regular routine of business and the traveling public has been made aware of the advantages of the house, there is no reason why it should not become a popular hostelry.

Manager Dixon has engaged the services of a first class Chef, who has had experience in some of the largest and best hotels in the country, to take charge of the cuisine of the house, and will thus be able to furnish the patrons of the place with fare that will be in keeping with the rest of the hotel.

The Hotel Dixon has the distinction of having grown to its present proportion from a very small beginning. Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon came to this city in 1883 and started in keeping a small hotel where the present building now stands, the first investment representing a cash outlay of less than \$1500, the building that they occupied being the wooden structure east of the hotel which is now being used as an annex. As time passed the capacity of the hotel was increased until the brick veneered building that was burned last spring was erected, and which at that time was considered quite an improvement, the cost being about \$10,000, and the building having 24 rooms for the accommodation of

guests.

At the time the hotel was burned in April all of the hotels in the city were crowded with guests, and the trade in this line was never so good in the history of the city. In spite of the fact that the hotel might have been patched up and put in operation in a comparatively short while, Manager Dixon decided that the better way would be to give the place a thorough rebuild and when completed it would be in shape to accommodate the best of the traveling public.

Although the hotel has been out of use for about seven months, Manager Dixon is to be commended for taking the course he did and will no doubt reap the benefit in the future.

The following menu will be served at the opening to-morrow evening:

Oyster Cocktail	Canapes Anchovy
Consomme Royal	Cream of Asparagus
Celery	Queen Olives
Baked Fillet of Trout, aux Fines Herbes	Salted Almonds
Pommes Duchesse	
Petite Bouchee, au Mush Rooms	
Lobster a la Newberg en Bordure	
Reignets de Souffle au Kirsch	
Roast Prime Ribs of Beef	Demiglace
Mashed Potatoes	Green Peas
Roast Spring Chicken, Oyster Dressing	
Brown Sweet Potatoes	Sweet Corn
Claret Punch	
Fresh Shrimp Mayonnaise	Cream Slaw
Green Apple Pie	Lemon Meringue Pie
Ice Cream Pistachio Flavour	
Lady Fingers	
Mixed Nuts	Bakings
Swiss and American Cheese Water Crackers	Fruit in Season
Tea	Coffee Milk Cafe Noir
Key West Cigars	

Entre Nous Club Entertains.

Eleven new members were received into, and entertained by the Entre Nous Club Monday evening at the home of Mrs. G. M. Hill.

A collation was served and an impromptu program rendered as follows:
Song Mrs. Wagon
Talk Mrs. Wagon
Talk Why We Are a Shakespeare Club
Recitation Miss Mary
Voice of a Lifetime Miss Mary
Auction of Ragtime music Miss McGrath
The entertainment committee furnished a poem, each stanza of which was completed by the title of a book, to be supplied by those taking part in the game. Twenty-five ladies were present. The next regular meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Sustins at the home of Mrs. Johnson.

"Caught in the Web."

The American author, Joseph Le-Brandt, has won success because all his plays are healthful in tone, pure in purpose, full of comedy, and treat of subjects that are interesting to the average theater-goer. Mr. Le-Brandt is not only a successful author but a clever and capable actor, and therefore he gets the right results at all times; as he thoroughly understands how to stage his own plays. His latest play, "Caught in the Web," is to be represented at the Grand Opera House Friday night is a fascinating romance of detective life. It is a combination of pure humor with realism running rampant in every act. Gorgeously mounted and finely acted, it cannot help but amuse all classes of theater-goers.

Want Pay for Beer.

The John Gaud Brewing Co. against F. B. Lombard of Babcock was tried in Justice Cooper's court, the case to recover the price of beer delivered to defendant. The case went by default and the plaintiff was given a verdict for \$102.80.

For Sale.

Eight second hand heating stoves; can be seen at the west side high school during or after school hours.
BOARD OF EDUCATION.

WANT TO FURNISH LIGHTS.

A Proposition From the Consolidated Water Power and Paper Co.

At a meeting of the directors of the Electric and Water company on Saturday evening, the Consolidated Water Power & Paper company submitted a proposition to furnish the power to the Electric & Water company both for the lighting and power. Following is the proposition:

To the officers and directors of the Electric & Water Co., Grand Rapids, Wis.

Gentlemen:—In accordance with a request of Messrs. Gayton, Schnabel, and Wiperman, we herewith make you a proposition to supply you with Electric Power:

We propose to install a Power Plant complete in all its details, and place in it suitable transformers, for stepping the current up from the voltage at which it is generated to a voltage of 2,200 which is suitable for your needs. A complete switchboard will be installed giving you two 3-phase 2,200-volt power circuits, one for each side of the river and six single phase 2,200-volt lighting circuits with voltage regulating devices in each individual circuit.

We further propose to build a line from our Power House across the river to the main business street near the Witter House, and another line from our Power House west to Main street. At both points your lines may be connected at a very small expense.

We will furnish under a two years contract the entire power required to 400 H. P. at thirty dollars (\$30.00) per H. P. per year, based upon the maximum demand, you being entitled to power 24 hours per day. Any power used in excess of 400 H. P. we will furnish at twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per H. P. per year.

In case the daily average H. P. for any month should be less than 50 per cent of the maximum demand, a discount of 10 per cent will be allowed. The maximum demand will be determined by Indicating Watt-Meters connected at the 440-volt terminals of the transformers located in our Power House. Recording Watt-Meters will be connected in like manner, from

which the total and average power used will be computed.

Complete records will be kept and submitted to you on the first of each month, when settlements will be made.

As a second proposition, we will furnish under a two years contract 200 H. P. 24 hours per day at thirty dollars \$30.00 per H. P. per year and will sell you the necessary peak current required in excess of 200 H. P. at the rate of two cents per kilowatt hour, measurements to be made as in the first proposition.

We make these propositions both on condition that we furnish you all the electric power required for your lighting and power system. Yours truly,
Consolidated Water Power & Co.,
Per Geo. W. Mead, Secy.

Training School Notes

Mr. Waldo and Miss Corcoran, formerly students of the normal school, were seen Saturday and seemed much pleased with the first week of teaching school.

The first exam nations are over and the results are quite satisfactory.

Our music class will soon begin a regular work.

Miss Elizabeth Rowland visited the school Friday morning.

Friday morning five of the students took their first practice work in teaching in Miss McGrath's room, under the direction of Miss Michaels.

The psychology class has begun to study the subject, "Thought."

Miss Lillian Kennedy and John McConnell of Pittsfield were visitors at the school Monday.

Getting Back at Them

At Portage recently the milk dealers trust raised the price of milk 20 per cent and now the city council of that city has passed an ordinance making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of from \$10 to \$200 for selling any but pure milk. The ordinance also provides for the inspection and the appointment of an inspector. The people there think that if the milk dealers are going to charge an exorbitant price that they are entitled to pure milk.

CHARLES LABROT JUMPS IN RIVER

IS DROWNED BEFORE HELP REACHES HIM.

No Cause Is Known for Taking His Life, but Little Doubt Exists that the Deed Was Done During a Fit of Temporary Insanity. Body Recovered in a Short Time.

Charles LaBrot jumped into the Wisconsin river on Tuesday afternoon with suicidal intent and before any assistance could reach him he was carried under by the current and drowned.

The tragedy occurred just north of the T. E. Nash residence, or near the head of the island, at which point the water is swift and deep. Mr. LaBrot was seen making for the river by Mrs. J. W. Natwick, the man being without shoes or hat, and she, divining his intention, attempted to catch him and keep him from his purpose, but was unable to do so, and the man reached the river and plunged in before anything could be done to prevent him.

An alarm was at once given and a search instituted for the body, but some forty-five minutes had elapsed before it was recovered, and the medical assistance was at hand, life was found to be extinct.

Justice Cooper impanelled a jury who viewed the remains and concluded that the man had come to his death by his own hand.

Mrs. LaBrot was outside of the house when her husband started for the river. She stated that he had been taken sick Tuesday morning, and as a consequence was only partly dressed during the day. When she saw him he ran out of the house, threw up his hands and yelled that he was going, and started for the river. Mrs. LaBrot did not realize what was going to happen and for a few minutes was so surprised and bewildered that she could render no assistance.

Mrs. Natwick heard a noise outside of her house and hurrying out saw Mr. LaBrot coming past, waving his arms and yelling. She spoke to the man as he went by but as he did not answer she surmised that something was the matter and followed him to the river and saw him jump in.

Mrs. Natwick stated that after the man struck the water he seemed to regain his senses and made a desperate effort to reach shore again, which he was unable to do, and after struggling a few minutes, sank beneath the water to appear no more.

The relatives of the drowned man can give no idea of why he should have committed the deed. He had been in rather poor health for several days past but this was not thought to have been sufficient to have caused such an unusual fit of despondency. There is little question that he was afflicted with a fit of temporary insanity.

Mr. LaBrot was 61 years of age and was a native of Wisconsin. He leaves a wife and four children, the latter being William, Thomas, Fred and Mary.

The funeral occurs to-morrow at nine o'clock from the Catholic church.

"Caught in the Web."

"Caught in the Web," Joseph Le-Brandt's new play which was produced last night for the first time at the Third Avenue Theatre, is a detective story brim full of situations that send the gallery gods wild with delight, and yet was so reasonable that the first floor more than enjoyed the novel situations. The many new ideas embodied in this play, all of which were clearly and skillfully worked out by the company, which embraces some excellent artists, actors and actresses much above the ordinary. The story of the play and interest never flags from the rise to the final fall of the curtain. "Caught in the Web" is destined to have a long and prosperous life.—New York World.

The only high grade Baking Powder made at a moderate price.

Calumet Baking Powder

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

The Ladies of St. Katherine's Guild will give a supper on Thursday, October 22, at the store building recently vacated by Mr. Cohen. Hours 5:30 to 10 p. m.

Chicken Pie Cranberry Jelly
Sandwiches Pickles
Hot Pork and Beans
Potato Salad Cabbage Salad
Cake Coffee
Price, 25 cents. All are cordially invited.

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'Tis not enough for us to believe this—we wish to convince you. No way so easy as for you to ask us about YOLANDE next time you are in our store. It will be a revelation to you for YOLANDE is worth knowing about.

OTTO'S PHARMACY,

Grand Rapids, Wis. You know the place.

The Mystery Of My Client

By...
HOWARD FIELDING

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A POLICEMAN named Postley, regularly assigned to duty in the city prison, called at my office late one afternoon with a message that Stanley Montagu wished to see me. The name is suspiciously pretentious, yet I am informed that the man got it by birth and christening. He has borne simpler names to which he was not entitled, the police have a list of them. In fact, Mr. Montagu is a bad man, and at the time when he sent for me he was in jail for one of the most important robberies within the recent history of the city—the Ramsdell burglary, in which more than \$70,000 worth of jewelry was stolen.

"He wants you to take his case," said the policeman.

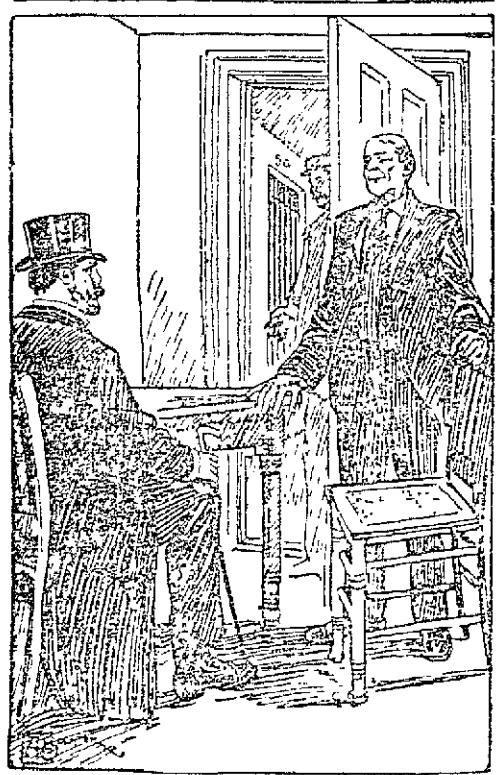
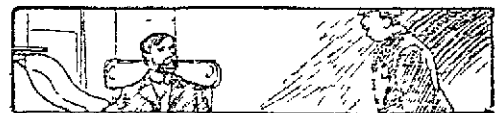
"I didn't know that he had any case," I responded. "Weren't some of the diamonds found in his pockets?"

"Well, not exactly in his pockets, as I understand it," was the reply. "Two or three small things were found in his room. The great bulk of the stuff has never been found at all."

I was aware of this fact. Indeed, I had certain facilities for learning about this case, for I was acquainted with Warren Ramsdell, the brother-in-law of the lady whose jewels had been stolen. I had heard of Montagu's arrest from Ramsdell on the evening when it was made and before any account of it had been printed in the papers. He had then mentioned that a few of the least valuable articles had been recovered.

I felt indisposed to take Montagu's case, first, because I believed him guilty, and, second, because of my acquaintance with one of the Ramsdells, but I had a considerable curiosity to see Montagu and talk with him. Moreover, I do not like to refuse point blank the reasonable request of a fellow creature who labors under the great disadvantage of being in prison. Therefore I went to see Montagu in order that I might find out what he had to say for himself.

The hour was rather late for a consultation that day under the strict rules of the prison, nevertheless I succeeded in a room of the institution which is sometimes used for that purpose. Montagu was a tall and slender man of forty years or thereabout, having iron gray hair upon a remarkably well shaped head. His face was smooth



"GOOD DAY, MR. WILLARD."

shaven, thin and of the cast suggesting the vague descriptive term "distinguished."

"Good day, Mr. Willard," said he. "You know about my case, I suppose?" "Very little," I replied. "What I do know makes me hesitate to have anything to do with it."

Montagu glanced slowly around the room, bestowing a peculiar smile upon the various articles of furniture, as if he had been saying to each of the chairs and tables: "Nobody hidden behind you. Of course not. Pray excuse me for thinking of such a thing."

Then he turned to me.

"A guilty man is entitled to his legal rights the same as an innocent one, isn't he?"

"Certainly," said I. "There is no reason why a conscientious lawyer should not protect a guilty man against injustice and even against any undue severity. Do I understand that you intend to plead guilty?"

"Well, I haven't made up my mind," said he. "Of course I don't stand any chance. A man with a record like mine is convicted as soon as he's brought into court."

"If you didn't do the thing," said I, "might it through?"

He smiled at me for about a minute without speaking.

"It's possible, you know," said he, "for a man to be tired of this sort of business. He may want to quit and be straight, you understand. He may see a reasonable chance. But if at my age the poor devil is going to prison for ten or fifteen years what's the use? Now, see here," he continued in a more assured tone, "if I decide to plead guilty will you take my case?"

"This includes the restitution of the stolen property?" said I.

"Of course," he replied.

"Then I'll do my best for you," said I. "Now, I wish you'd let me have a day or two to think things over. In regard to the restitution of the property, there are certain matters which I want to discuss with you later. In the meantime will you see Mrs. Ramsdell and find out exactly what was taken? I don't want to be held for stuff that I didn't get."

There was something peculiar in his manner which excited my curiosity. After I had left him I gave hard thought to the circumstances of the robbery. The Ramsdell residence had been entered in a bold and ingenious manner from an adjoining mansion which happened to be deserted. Mr. and Mrs. Ramsdell were dining out that evening. The robber was discovered by a maid who had gone up to her mistress' room just before the latter returned home. It was not long after 10 o'clock, and there was plenty of time for the news to get into the next morning's papers. A list of the stolen articles was published, and the value was set at \$70,000. Meanwhile I had heard the story from Warren Ramsdell, whom I had met in a club shortly after midnight. He had told me that the value of the jewels was about \$55,000 and had neglected to mention a diamond necklace which was the highest priced article in the published list.

Montagu had been arrested next day upon a description furnished by the Ramsdells of a mysterious and suspicious looking character whom they had seen lurking about the house.

Now, so far as I knew, the original published estimate of the value of the property, including the necklace which I have mentioned, had never been contradicted. Doubtless Montagu had seen this list, and beyond question he was in a position to know whether it had been accurate. Supposing that the diamond necklace had not been in the strong box, naturally Montagu would be unable to return it, and he would insist upon a definite statement about it before opening serious negotiations.

Society women sometimes get into debt and pawn their jewels without the knowledge of their husbands. I have faith to believe that the indiscretion is rare, but I am told that it does occur. If such had been the fact in this instance it was conceivable that Mrs. Ramsdell might have told the reporters a fib. It would be necessary to settle this point before anything could be done for my client, and with this in mind I tried to find Warren Ramsdell, since there seemed reason to believe that he was in his sister-in-law's confidence. But as the young man had gone to Chicago on business I was under the necessity of calling at the Ramsdell house upon this very delicate business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsdell were at home, and, to use a figure of speech, they fell upon my neck when I hinted at a possibility of securing a restitution of the property. They were perfectly willing that I should compound a felony by defeating justice in the case of Stanley Montagu and even urged me to corrupt the district attorney, the grand jury, the police and the court in the interests of my client if he would only give up the jewels.

Still, upon the personal side I was much moved by the lady's great grief at her loss. She seemed to be a woman of a very strongly sentimental nature. There were some of those jewels, gifts from her husband in the early days of their love, that she could not speak of without bursting into tears.

When I left the Ramsdell house I was a fierce partisan of the fair victim of this robbery, and yet we had decided to do our best to save Montagu from the consequences of his crime. I went to my client and told him that restitution would probably result in his release, but I was forced to add the information which I had received from Mrs. Ramsdell in the most positive manner that the published list of the stolen jewels was correct. His only reply was this:

"They ain't doing right by me."

I could not get him to explain that statement nor to say anything upon the subject except that he wanted a day or two for consideration. Surely if it had not been for pretty Mrs. Ramsdell's influence upon me and the memory of her great joy at the prospect of receiving her own again I should have had nothing further to do with the affairs of Stanley Montagu.

To make a long story short, I spent more than five weeks in negotiating for the return of those diamonds. I would bring Montagu almost to the point, and then he would slip back again. He would declare that he was being tricked or would insist that one or another of the articles mentioned in the printed list had not been in the robbed safe.

Finally the man coolly told me that he was dissatisfied with my conduct as his counsel and had decided to get another lawyer. I was discharged from the case, and a shrewd little rat of the law whose reputation is not of the best was engaged in my place. The interview which I had with the Ramsdells afterward was harrowing. I had raised their hopes only to dash them down again.

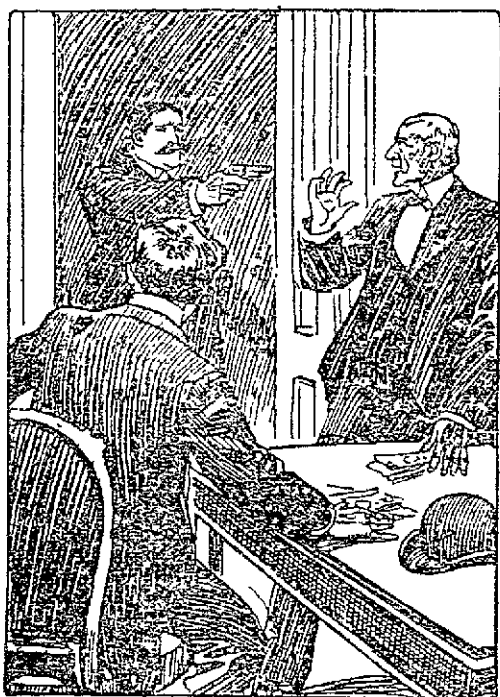
Meanwhile Montagu had been indicted, and an early day had been set for the trial. Old Ben Briggs, my successor in the case, made no move to open negotiations with the Ramsdells.

Upon the trial, which you may be sure that I attended, Montagu pleaded not guilty with a bold front. Now, to tell the truth, the district attorney's case was not strong. His knowledge that Montagu was negotiating for a return of the plunder had prevented him from working up the evidence. But that knowledge could not be used in court. With me it was a professional secret, and nobody else knew anything about it except as a matter of hearsay. The district attorney's people

and the police knew only that Ramsdell had said, and that was not evidence.

Yet, considering that Montagu had been seen hanging about the house, that some trifles from the plunder had been found in his room and that he was a known thief, it seemed to me that a conviction might be expected. But to my utter amazement Montagu produced absolutely unimpeachable evidence of his innocence. A very respectable family—father, mother and three children—backed by a visitor or two, swore positively that Montagu had been in their house during the entire evening of the robbery. They had known him under a different name and had had no idea of his real character; neither had they guessed that their friend was the prisoner under arrest for the Ramsdell burglary until the day before the trial, when they were so informed by his attorney.

There was no doubt that these witnesses were telling the truth, and it became a physical impossibility that Montagu should have been the actual burglar. As to the jewelry found in his room, the evidence of servants in the house where he lodged was introduced to show that a mysterious man had got in with some plausible excuse during Montagu's absence and that upon my former client's return he had com-



I ENTERED WITH A REVOLVER IN MY HAND, plained that the door of his room, which he had locked on going out, was ajar.

The absurdly conspicuous position of the jewelry in the room also had its effect upon the jury, as indicating conspiracy. It became clear that the fellow might have cleared himself immediately after arrest if he had chosen to do so.

Nothing else but an acquittal was possible, and Montagu left the court a free man. I left it a very much puzzled and fiercely angry man, for beyond a doubt I had been made a tool by this rascal for some purpose which I could only conjecture. The Scotch-Irish obstinacy which I inherited from my grandfather asserted itself, and this fellow Montagu became to me as if he had been my natural food and I a beast of prey.

When he left the court building I was on his track, and for an hour or more I had some interesting experiences in "shadowing." It became obvious to me presently that another person whom I recognized as a detective of the regular police was also on Montagu's trail, and Montagu must have perceived it also, for he began to dodge and double and finally "shook" us in a manner really quite clever.

For some minutes I watched the detective madly rushing around the neighborhood. It was futile, and upon a sudden inspiration I went into a barber's shop and had my beard removed. Then I bought a hat of a style that I had never worn before and a rather "loud" overcoat. After these precautions I rode in a cab to a railroad station, where, to give myself confidence in my own judgment, I immediately bought a ticket for Chicago. A few minutes later I was aboard a train, riding in the same car with Stanley Montagu. I rode with him all the way to Chicago, followed his trail with great difficulty for a few hours in that city and eventually traced him to a hotel where I was fortunate enough to secure the next room to his.

My first act was to bore a hole through the partition, and by means of this aperture I was presently able to observe a confidential and very joyous interview between Montagu and another man, who divided with my former client an enormous roll of money. The other man was Warren Ramsdell.

The game then became perfectly clear. When jewels of great value are stolen their description is flashed all over the world, and their sale becomes very difficult. But by associating himself with a known criminal and by putting up a job by which it would immediately appear that that criminal had the jewels and could be induced to return them Ramsdell had stopped all the usual precautions and had made the sale of the jewels easy and safe.

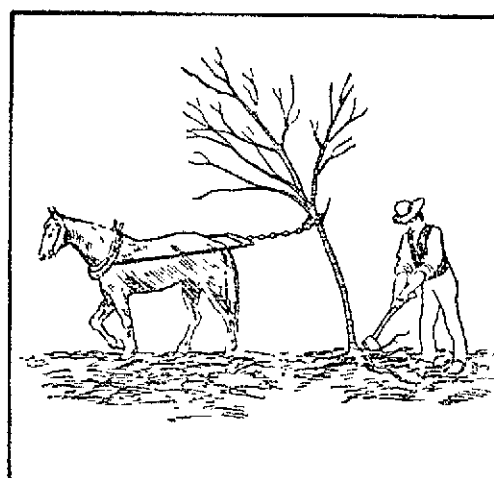
Having heard the conversation of these rascals, I stepped around to the hall door of their room and kicked it open. I entered with a revolver in my hand and a perfect readiness to shoot somebody gleaming from my eye. This state of feeling is always perceptible and never fails to have its effect upon the other parties concerned.

The result was that I obtained a complete record of the disposal of the jewels, by means of which all except a very few of the smallest were subsequently recovered. But, after all, my mysterious client escaped punishment, for Mr. Ramsdell felt obliged to shield his own brother, and the case against the two thieves never came to trial.

FARM AND GARDEN

CLEARING NEW LAND.

Uprooting Young Trees and Pulling Stumps With Horses and Chain.
It is surprising how rapidly young trees may be pulled out of the ground with horses and chain where conditions are favorable. Best results can be obtained where the growth consists of saplings, say two to four inches in diameter, which have a lateral root system such as possessed by the locust, maple or dogwood. The ground should

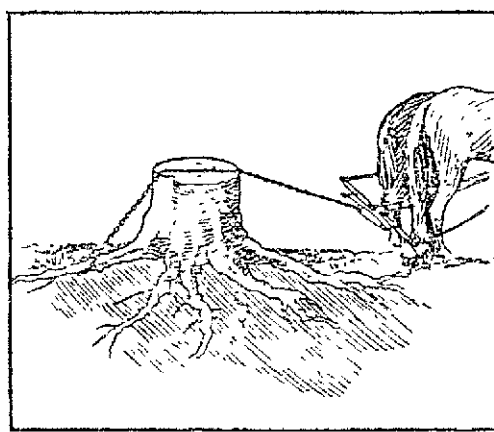


UPROOTING A SAPLING.

be soft and loose. The plan is simple. It consists in fastening one end of a long log chain to the trunk of the sapling as high above the ground as the flexibility of the tree will permit and hitching a steady horse or if necessary a team of horses to the other end of the chain. While the horses are pulling at the tree a man should be at its base with an ax and assist them by severing such roots as may seem loath to give way.

In this manner when the saplings are of the right size and kind, the ground in proper condition, the horses true and steady, the man with the ax alert and discreet, wonderfully good and fast work can be accomplished.

Stumps may also be pulled up with chain and horses. One end of a log



PULLING A STUMP.

chain should be fastened around one of the large roots of a stump, a team of horses being hitched to the other end. The chain is placed across the top of the stump, which acts as a fulcrum and furnishes leverage for its own removal.—F. Williams, Jr., Virginia.

The Economical Sheep.

Great business enterprises have been built up by attention to details and stopping the wastes. The wastes alone if saved would make a handsome profit on the average western farm. In guarding against needless waste on the farm the sheep has not yet had the consideration it deserves from the farmer. The impression prevails that in some instances our lands are too valuable for mutton production. A more hurtful fallacy does not exist. Our lands are becoming too valuable to be without sheep. The average quarter section or 200 acre farm will practically fatten a carload of western wethers on what would otherwise be wasted. The old country farmer and the Canadian make it a practice to glean the stubble fields with sheep as soon as the crop is removed and change the flock about from one field to another until the entire farm is grazed during the season. The possibilities of mutton production from the stubble fields, cornfields and fence rows of the Mississippi valley states are of great magnitude, and yet one can ride all day without seeing a flock of sheep. From sixty to ninety days of good grazing with a few weeks of corn feeding at the close will finish a bunch of wethers for the market, and they may be turned at a much better profit than by winter feeding on an expensive grain ration.—Breeder's Gazette.

The Farmers' Trust.

Nebraska grain men are up against the farmers' trust in earnest. As this year's crop is being marketed the commission men at points where the Farmers' Co-operative society has purchased or erected elevators find it practically impossible to buy any grain. At one point in York county where the farmers have been organized for two years the opposition elevator has not opened at all. At another point the old buyers have secured only three loads of grain. Offers of higher prices are no temptation to the farmers. They have been carefully schooled during the last year and have learned that this is only a trick to break up their own company and re-establish the old regime. Most of the Nebraska co-operative organizations are modeled after one at Rockwell, Ia. There the farmers have been through the fight and know every move of the commission men. When their elevator was outbid they encouraged the farmers to accept the bids of the commission men, but each farmer who did so was obligated to pay in one-fourth of a cent a bushel to the co-operative concern, which was enough to keep it going at the expense of the high bidding buyers.—Denver Field and Farm.

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MARKET REPORT.	
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Potatoes, # bushel	\$ 4.00
Wheat, No. 2, # bushel	63
Rye, # bushel	43
Oats, # bushel	33
Corn, shelled, # 100 lbs.	1 05
Hay, marsh, # ton	5 00
Hay, timothy, # ton	7 00
Eggs, # dozen	20
Butter, # lb.	1 15
Beans, # bushel	1 75
Peas, # bushel	2 00
Onions, # bushel	50
Beef, live, # 100 lbs.	\$2.00 to 2.50
Beef, dressed, # 100 lbs.	\$5.00 to 6.00
Pork, live	5 00
Pork, dressed	7 00
Veal, live, # 100 lbs.	94
Veal, dressed, # 100 lbs.	63 to 67
Chickens, live, # 10	12
Chickens, dressed, # 10	12
Turkeys, live, # 10	12
Turkeys, dressed, # 10	12 to 15
Flour, patent, # bbl.	5 00
Feed, # ton	21 00
Middings, # ton	20 00
Brass, # ton	1 00
Bolted Corn Meal, bbl.	4 00
Lard, # 100 lbs.	12
Whole Hams, #	15
Mess Pork, bbl.	17 50

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[Original.]

Arnold Treat was thirty-five and an eminent man. When he spoke in court the people turned out to hear him and were spellbound at his eloquence. A number of young women set their caps for him, but he would have none of them.

At last he met Eugenia Duffield and was captured. Miss Duffield was twenty-eight and director on the boards of hospitals and helping hand societies. She had a fine figure, a firm step, and carried her head erect on her shoulders. Her administrative ability was remarkable, and it was this that made her valuable as a manager.

When Miss Duffield and Mr. Treat announced their engagement the world said, "What a splendid match!"

All went well with the lovers till one day a suit was brought against one of the institutions of which the lady was managing director, and she put the case in the hands of Mr. Treat. In submitting it she told him the incidents leading up to the trouble, to which he listened attentively. Then she gave him the line of defense he was to pursue, to which he listened respectfully. She finished by stating what she conceived to be the law bearing on the case, and he appeared a trifle bored. As a last word she directed him to proceed in every particular on the lines she had laid down.

"Do I understand," he asked, "that I am to try the case as your assistant or your attorney?"

Miss Duffield without a word folded up the papers and marched away with the remark, "You'll not try it at all."

Before the end of a week it was announced that the engagement was broken. Nevertheless the breaking of it was a great disappointment to both Mr. Treat and Miss Duffield. It was finally renewed, and she had again edged herself in the wrong to her brother was a lawyer and told her she had acted like a fool. For awhile the couple were very happy. Then the trouble came again, this time from the side of the man. He had a project when he conceived it to get into St. Luke's field's hospital. She informed him that under the rules the patient was not admissible, whereupon Mr. Treat remarked that he would apply at a hospital where there were more elastic rules.

"Do you mean to imply," asked Miss Duffield, "that our rules are not proper ones?"

"They are not such as I should approve. I am on the board at St. Luke's, you know."

"Our institution doesn't follow the leadership of St. Luke's by any means. I think you had better take your patient to your own hospital."

"I did not ask your advice. I asked a dispensation for the patient at your hospital."

Immediately after this interview it was announced again that the engagement was broken. "That will never be a match," said a veteran matrimonial observer. "You might as well put two captains in command of the same ship."

However, the two lovers were miserable apart, and this time at the suit of the man they came together again. Then they concluded that once married they would learn to work in double harness and decided to make a plunge into matrimony, and the wedding day was set. One day Mr. Treat drove up to Miss Duffield's residence and, alighting from his carriage, ran up the steps and rang the bell.

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"I think it necessary," said the green-eyed expert, "to inform you that I do not expect to perform any of the usual duties of a husband, and I would not expect to make a gift of a cash on my wedding day."

"You do not think I will be able to do so," said Miss Duffield, "and I am sure you will not."

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Where She Made Her Mistake. They had discussed the virtues and failings of nearly every one they both knew, and the conversation was beginning to flag when Miss Black asked:

"Do you know Mr. Dresser?"

"I've met him," replied Miss Blossom coldly.

"Such an aristocratic looking man," said Miss Black. "There's no one can match him for dignified reserve and fine appearance."

"Do you think so?" Miss Blossom was a trifle sarcastic.

"Yes, indeed," replied Miss Black enthusiastically. "No one graces a ballroom or parlor as he does. And as for politeness and courtesy—"

"As for politeness and courtesy," interrupted Miss Blossom, "I've bowed to him twice on the street, and he has marched by in his haughty way without even so much as nodding."

"Oh, my dear, you don't understand him at all," explained Miss Black. "You haven't been in society long enough. Did he have those gold rimmed eyeglasses on?"

"Certainly. He nearly always wears them."

"Of course. But never bow to him when he wears them," Miss Black was speaking with the wise air that comes from social experience. "They make him look so literary and distinguished, but he can't see through them."

—Brooklyn Eagle.

Amity. "Yes," sighed the fair young thing, "I admit that I like you, but it does not seem to me that we were ever meant for each other. We have not a single taste in common."

Mournfully the young man studied the floor for some minutes. At last he looked up with the dawn of hope in his eyes.

"But, yes," he whispered. "Are you not very fond of onions?"

Rushing she nodded a confession.

"So am I!" he cried rapturously.—Judge

Her Trouble.

Mr. Impecunious—Marry, I have brought you home a little book on "How to Cook."

Mrs. Impecunious (sarcastically)—Thanks my dear, but what I need more is a check book.

What I Would Need. "I am sorry, sir," said the private secretary, "but you cannot see the senator just now. He is framing his speech for"—

"Framing it?" snorted the disappointed constituent. "Waah, you just tell him for me that if he's as slow doing that as he is doing what his home folks wants him to that there speech will need a coffin in place of a frame."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Sisterly Solitude. "Mr. Spoonmower," asked the little girl, "how long have you been coming to see my sister?"

"Oh, a month or two, Kitty," replied the young man.

"Well," she said after a moment of serious reflection, "I suppose it's too soon to ask you if you have any serious intentions."—Chicago Tribune.

Taken on a Debt. "See Perry's new horse," asked one citizen of another.

"I have," was the reply.

"Well, what does it look like?" asked the questioner again.

"Well, he looks," said the other man slowly, "as if Perry had taken him for a good debt."—Boston Christian Register.

His Little Game. "I understand you play a little pocket game called 'Twenty-four'?"

"Yes, I do," replied the other man.

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To Match Tailor Made Suits. For wear with tailor made suits this walking hat, designed by Marthe, Paris, will prove an almost universally becoming model. As here shown, it is

Use Discussed For New Jersey and Massachusetts Bogs. Professor Charles L. Norton of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has demonstrated that mud from the bogs of that state and New Jersey will make good fuel.

He has taken ten samples of eastern Massachusetts mud, a meritorious article, though much less viscous than the Jersey variety. These samples, weighing from 100 to 125 pounds a cubic foot in the crude state, were air dried from three to eight or nine weeks. At the end of this banting process they were trained down to fifty-five pounds and were as hard as board. The most muscular candidates could be split readily, but were hard to saw.

Professor Norton's conclusions are that air dried mud has a caloric power at least 65 per cent as great as first quality American coal, while the average of ten samples from different bogs at varying depths was 75 per cent, and one specimen reached a value of 98 per cent, and these percentages approximately apply to the finished coke also. He says:

"With 43,500 feet to the acre and a depth, say, of twenty feet, we should have some 890,000 cubic feet of mud per acre. This will yield at a conservative estimate 40,000,000 pounds of air dried mud, which is equal in heating power to at least 25,000,000 pounds, or 12,000 tons, of good coal. If convenience in handling and diminished bulk will justify the coking process we may still hope to obtain the equivalent of 10,000 tons of good coke from each acre of twenty foot bog. There is almost if not quite enough gas distilled from the coke to make a pound of mud furnish enough gas to coke the next, so that the coking process, once started, will require no extra fuel."

THE PARTS WALKING HAT.

In brown velvet, sharply turned up at both sides, with grobe plumes in a hunter shade of brown relieved with white, these meeting at the back, where the hat, like all of this season's shapes, set closely to the head.

The Yoke Collar.

A feature to be brought prominently forward for winter is the yoke collar, which is a collar so deep as to form a yoke. This is cut out of heavy material so as to keep its stiffness and shape, and it is made with points that fall over the shoulders; not floppy points, but small, neat ones that fit the shoulders well.

There are very pretty yoke collars which are cut with deep pieces at front and back and shoulder projections. The front extends down in a long piece, which comes to the belt, making a sort of plastron front.

It is very smart to trim the yoke collar with a few large pearl buttons and to stretch it around the edge, out there should be no other trimming. Others are embroidered in white around the shoulders and down the front, with deep cuffs to match.

A Winter Hat.

One of the white winter hats is round and has a notouisse brim and a medium crown. The latter and a part of the brim are of soft fleecy beaver as fluffy as swan-down. The edge of the brim for about three inches is of smooth, silky beaver further stiffened by rows of stitching. This hat is trimmed with black velvet around the crown, a piece of it going down over the brim and forming a bow near the hair in the back. In the front are two wafer-like ornaments fashioned of white plisse chiffon.

Checks Will Be Popular.

Checks will be worn through the fall and winter, some of them almost imperceptible and perhaps better described as shepherd's plaid, in light tweeds. The tailors will again endeavor to bring in a severe style, but they are trimming their plaid cloths with rather brilliant plaid effects. They will also use taffeta and kid as trimmings and quaint ornaments of silken fringe and taffeta and velvet bobs.

An Up to Date Blouse.

The illustration shows a model for blouse of white flannel or aboutross

DECREASE IN BIRTH RATE.

One of the Results of the Twentieth Century Race.

A New England statistician lately published the startling conclusion of the support of the birth rate in America. Looking backward to the time of Benjamin Franklin, he showed that the average number of children born to a woman was 10.5.

At the present time, however, the average number of children born to a woman is only 2.5. This is a decrease of 80 per cent.

The cause of this decrease is the result of the twentieth century race. The women of today are more educated and more ambitious than their mothers. They are more interested in their careers and less interested in their families.

The result is that the birth rate is decreasing. This is a serious problem for the future of the nation.

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Use Discussed For New Jersey and Massachusetts Bogs. Professor Charles L. Norton of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has demonstrated that mud from the bogs of that state and New Jersey will make good fuel.

He has taken ten samples of eastern Massachusetts mud, a meritorious article, though much less viscous than the Jersey variety. These samples, weighing from 100 to 125 pounds a cubic foot in the crude state, were air dried from three to eight or nine weeks. At the end of this banting process they were trained down to fifty-five pounds and were as hard as board. The most muscular candidates could be split readily, but were hard to saw.

Professor Norton's conclusions are that air dried mud has a caloric power at least 65 per cent as great as first quality American coal, while the average of ten samples from different bogs at varying depths was 75 per cent, and one specimen reached a value of 98 per cent, and these percentages approximately apply to the finished coke also. He says:

"With 43,500 feet to the acre and a depth, say, of twenty feet, we should have some 890,000 cubic feet of mud per acre. This will yield at a conservative estimate 40,000,000 pounds of air dried mud, which is equal in heating power to at least 25,000,000 pounds, or 12,000 tons, of good coal. If convenience in handling and diminished bulk will justify the coking process we may still hope to obtain the equivalent of 10,000 tons of good coke from each acre of twenty foot bog. There is almost if not quite enough gas distilled from the coke to make a pound of mud furnish enough gas to coke the next, so that the coking process, once started, will require no extra fuel."

NOVEL CARPET LAYER.

Both Stretches the Fabric and Drives the Tack.

The old fashioned way to lay a carpet was to get on your hands and knees and tug and strain until your arms ached and your hands were blistered before the last tack was in place. But since that period several inventions in this line have lightened the work, until now if you are compelled to put down carpets yourself the task need not be dreaded as in days gone by.

With the latest idea in carpet laying tools about the only thing which it seems necessary to do is to pull the trigger. To operate this machine it is

UNIQUE CARPET LAYER.

necessary to grasp it by the handle, insert the prongs beneath the front end of the implement in the edge of the carpet and, after stretching the carpet to the required tension, pull the trigger which fastens the tack in place. The tacks are automatically fed into position beneath the hammer, and the latter must be elevated and secured by the trigger mechanism previous to each blow. The trigger itself will be seen beneath the forward end of the handle in convenient position for operation the instant the carpet is properly stretched, while a spring is arranged to greatly increase the force of the blow with the hammer strikes on the head of the tack.

DECREASE IN BIRTH RATE.

One of the Results of the Twentieth Century Race.

A New England statistician lately published the startling conclusion of the support of the birth rate in America. Looking backward to the time of Benjamin Franklin, he showed that the average number of children born to a woman was 10.5.

At the present time, however, the average number of children born to a woman is only 2.5. This is a decrease of 80 per cent.

The cause of this decrease is the result of the twentieth century race. The women of today are more educated and more ambitious than their mothers. They are more interested in their careers and less interested in their families.

The result is that the birth rate is decreasing. This is a serious problem for the future of the nation.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year.....\$1.50
Six Months.....75

Should Churches Advertise.

This is a question that has been agitating the public in the southern part of the state for some time past and has caused a great deal of discussion both among the church members and ministers and those outside.

The question seems so utterly foolish that it does not seem possible that any sensible man or woman would waste any time to discuss the matter. Every preacher with enough go in him to know that he is alive at all has been advertising for a number of years. It may not be that he has been buying space in the local newspapers, they may have been giving it to him regularly, but if he has published a notice of the services held in the church, either special or regular, he has been advertising. The mere fact that most of the country papers give this space to the churches free of charge, does not prevent it from being advertising. If any merchant got the same notice of what he was going to serve to the public on a certain day he would have to pay five cents a line for the matter, and it would be advertising.

Besides this method, many churches have cards and folders printed which they either send out by mail or distribute, while others frame notices of the services to be held in the church and post them in conspicuous places, which is also advertising. It may be poor advertising, but it is advertising, just the same.

It is not necessary that it should be a bargain sale of shopworn goods to be advertising, or a summer clearing sale of last years stock in order to make room for new goods soon to arrive, etc., it is advertising. The fact of the case is that many of the churches now advertise more extensively than many of the largest stores did but a few years ago.

Wants Information.

The Pittsboro Pilot asks to be enlightened as follows:

We would be pleased to have some good republican tell us what is the matter with the money? Why is it the Secretary of the Treasury is now and has been loaning out the money belonging to the Government and taking as security other than U. S. Bonds? This is a direct violation of law. We were told there was money enough, all that was needed was confidence. Why then is the Government called upon every little while to help a certain clique of Wall street to keep them from going broke?

We had supposed that the Pilot man, admitting, of course, for the sake of argument, that there is such a thing as a good republican, would be able to answer all such questions as the above without calling on outside help.

The negroes of the District of Columbia continue to criticize the republican party. At a recent meeting at which many members of the Suffrage League were present, the president of the league declared that the colored people were going to create a stir if their liberties were taken away from them. Another speaker added, "Let us not be led astray by talk of industrial education, and holding of property. If they can steal the ballot they can steal our property." William Calvin Chase said, "If the republican party cannot prevent the repeal of the fifteenth amendment when it is in power, let us no longer support the party as we have done in the past. They tell us we owe the republican party a debt of gratitude. In the name of our gods, haven't we already paid that debt? In Roosevelt and his party came to our rescue I think that we should withdraw our support from them." These and other indications show that the republican party cannot prevent the repeal of the fifteenth amendment for the past years.

A report has just been issued showing the Post Office transactions for the fiscal year. The expenditures amounted to \$18,754,487.77 and the receipts \$34,224,443.21, thus leaving a deficit of \$4,569,944.53. The total financial transaction for the year in financing the money order system, were \$1,026,731,407.96, thus for the first time passing the billion dollar mark. Illustrating the magnitude of the postal operations, an official said, "It would escape detection in the Auditor's Office amounting to 110 per cent of the business handled by the banks in six years would reach a sum of five times the amount reported in the postal funds now under investigation."

While the republicans fail to come to an agreement on financial legislation Secretary Shaw continues to relieve an imaginary money stringency. Since September 1, he has placed \$18,

489,200 of the public money in circulation. He has accomplished this by depositing government money in the national banks to the credit of the Secretary of the Treasury and by redeeming United States bonds before they are due. It is not announced that the republicans will appoint a joint committee to examine into the needs for currency legislation.

GRAND RAPIDS WINS.

High School Boys Beat Stevens Point by Score of 11 to 5.

The high school football eleven won their second game from Stevens Point on Saturday afternoon by the score of 11 to 5. The local team was superior to the visitors at all stages of the game, but in spite of this they did some rather poor playing at times, and should have shut the visitors out without a score.

The game was started by Grand Rapids kicking off, Stevens Point caught the ball and started to carry it right down to their goal for a touch down, but were downed on their 35-yard line. They were held here and lost the ball on downs. Grand Rapids then took it and after making fair progress lost it on downs. Then Stevens Point got it again but were unable to make any telling advance. Then Grand Rapids carried the ball to within 15 yards of their goal line when Stevens Point recovered the pigskin once more. The triumph was short lived, however, and the visitors lost the ball on a fumble. The ball was then steadily advanced by Grand Rapids until it was carried over the goal line for a touchdown by Brennan. The boys failed to kick goal and the score was 5 to 0.

Grand Rapids kicked off again and Stevens Point caught the ball, were downed, and lost ground in each scrimmage until the ball went to Grand Rapids on downs. Grand Rapids gained about 10 yards when they lost the ball on a fumble. Stevens Point took the ball, but almost immediately lost it on a fumble, and Grand Rapids steadily advanced until the ball was carried over the goal line by Nimples. McCarthy kicked goal in fine style and the score was then 11 to 0.

Grand Rapids then kicked off and Stevens Point caught it. The Stevens Pointers advanced steadily 3, 25, 3, 7 and 5 yards when they lost their courage and punted. Grand Rapids got the ball but almost immediately lost it on a fumble and when the time for the first half was called the ball was near the center of the field in the Stevens Point hands.

Stevens Point kicked off at the beginning of the second half and Grand Rapids took it and had only made a slight advance when the ball was dropped and before it could be recovered it was within a few yards of Grand Rapids goal. Stevens Point then pulled themselves together and made a touchdown, but missed goal and the score stood 11 to 5.

Stevens Point then kicked off and Grand Rapids took the ball and advanced only a few yards when it was lost on downs. Stevens Point then tried to advance the ball, but instead lost 10 yards on the first and 5 yards on the second down, losing the ball on the next down. Grand Rapids was unable to make the five yards advance and Stevens Point took it and carried the ball about twenty yards when they lost again on a fumble. Grand Rapids then took possession of the pigskin and it went up the field in a succession of advances until it had been carried about 55 yards when it was again lost on a fumble. Stevens Point had just made a 10 yard advance when time was called for the end of the second half, and the game ended with the ball in Stevens Point territory and the score standing 11 to 5.

Stevens Point was especially weak in offense, and lost ground on numerous occasions with the ball in their possession.

The lineup of the two teams was as follows:
Stevens Point: Grand Rapids
Bigelow, Little
McDonald, Nobles-Chase
Jensen, McFarland
Loberg, Hayes
Nelson, Grotteau-Crowns
Piffner, Podawiltz
Rosenow, McCarthy
Young, W. McCarthy
Harshaw, Nantz-Natwick
Buchan, Muir
Jensen, Brennan

A large crowd attended the game, and the one thing to regret is the fact that the boys have not an enclosed field in which to play, so that all who attended would be compelled to pay for their sport.

Christian Science Lecture

On Thursday evening, October 22, Judge William G. Boles of Chicago will give a lecture on Christian Science at the church of this congregation. Mr. Boles is a most interesting talker and all are invited to hear his remarks.

The following from the Christian Science Sentinel will give some idea of the esteem in which the judge is held where he is known:

Judge William G. Boles of Chicago delivered a lecture on Christian Science Sunday afternoon, January 4, in the Opera House, to an audience of about three hundred. The lecturer was introduced by Judge D. H. Pannoy of this city who said, in substance: "Ladies and Gentlemen: It is a pleasure to me to meet with you upon this occasion. Some of you, I presume, know little about Christian Science as I do. None of us are too wise or too old to learn."

I am gratified to meet my old and valued friend, Judge Boles, here to-day. In all the long years I have known him at the Illinois bar, he has ever been that same high-minded, Christianlike character. He has always stood for his profession, and a few years ago, the sentiment of the Chicago Bar Association, when I say that to him, was of the bench in Chicago with a better or more blamable and far lessness, impartiality and ability than he. He is always and everywhere a Christian gentleman, and I have great pleasure in presenting Judge Boles to this audience.

—Wright the Barber, 315 Cran. St.

A Kitchen Shower.

On Thursday evening a number of friends assembled at the home of Misses Mary and Lizzie Bever and held a shower for Miss Katy McCarthy. The evening was spent in playing progressive cinch, and for having won the greatest number of games, Miss Celia Burr received a prize. Miss Celia McCarthy received a consolation prize for having won the least. Miss Katie was presented with a handsome cut glass berry dish, a reflector and a very pretty vase.

The following were present: Catherine McCarthy, Celia McCarthy, Dora Wood, Estella Douville, Celia Burr, Gertrude Schneider, Caroline Kuntz, Rose Kuntz, Mabel Marceau, Artimese Marceau, Nellie Schnabel, Anna Pagel, Maud Whaley, Miss Brahany, Eleanor Slattery, Lizzie McCarthy, Louise Podawiltz, Herman Wipperman, Richard Wipperman, Chas. Dixon, August Weir, Dominic Renland, Jno. Cepress, Henry Demitz, Bert Beaver, Charles Downie and Henry McCann.

Lost Thirty Dollars.

Mrs. Alice Gardner, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ray, on the east side, had the misfortune to lose thirty dollars on Monday, and since then has heard nothing of the money. She had gone into Johnson & Hill's store to do some trading and when she went to pay for her purchases found there was only \$2 left in her purse, while she had supposed there was \$32 there. Mrs. Gardner is rather unfortunate she having lost twenty dollars about a month ago that her husband sent her from Washington, where he is located.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia. Take no substitutes. Sold at Johnson & Hill Co.

WANT COLUMN.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line: no ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

FOR SALE.—A nice jersey cow, four years old. For further information inquire at this office.

FOR SALE.—A Remington typewriter in good condition. Will be sold cheap. Call at the Tribune office.

FOR SALE.—A Hamilton gasoline engine. The engine is as good as new and works in fine shape. It is conceded to be one of the best on the market. Will generate three horse power good and strong and will be sold cheap. Come and see it running at the Tribune office. All of the accessories go with the engine, including water tank, large galvanized iron gasoline tank, capable of withstanding a pressure of 200 pounds, batteries, dynamo. For further particulars call or write to the Tribune, Grand Rapids, Wis.

FOR SALE.—I wish to sell my property on the west side, near furniture factory in Jackson addition which consists of 2½ acres of land, house 15x28 with wings 16x26 and 18x26, dance hall 24x45 and barn 20x 0. This property is a bargain and will go for \$3,500 if taken at once. Herman Kauffman.

FOR SALE.—House and lot on west side on Factory street. Built last summer, two stories high 8 rooms good well on the place and good cellar. Party wishes to leave for Canada. Enquire of Jeffrey Truedell.

TYPEWRITER PAPER.—A full stock of typewriter paper at the Tribune office. Several different grades to select from. Also manuscript covers.

TOWN ORDER BOOKS.—Always on hand at the Tribune office ready for delivery. 100 orders bound in book form on best paper, 30 cents.

FOR RENT.—Furnished rooms, with or without board. Mrs. L. Dumas round corner from Green House.

—Offices for rent over the west side post-office. Mrs. Rossier.

MONEY TO LOAN—C. E. Boles.

FOR SALE.—Forty building lots in first ward from \$75 to \$150. Also good ten room dwelling and lot 80x120. E. F. Philcox.

WHAT I WANT...

Is people who want to borrow money.
People who want to buy city or farm property.
People who want to have abstracts of title made: deeds, mortgages, land contracts etc. drawn to come to my office and I will accommodate them with promptness.

C. E. BOLES

TELEPHONE 322.

Office in MacKinnon Block, west end of bridge.

ARE YOU GOING ABROAD?

If you are going to buy any tickets from Europe, I have to mention that I represent all the leading steamship lines sailing to and from this country and Europe and can make it for you to reach promptly the very best accommodations at the lowest rate. I represent the Hamburg American, The Canadian, The White Star, The American, The Red Star, The Holland American, The Adam, The Alton, The British, The Bremen, and The Scandinavian Lines, and shall be pleased to furnish on application rates, schedules, and all information desired concerning any of these lines.

JOHN CASBERG, CENTRALIA, WIS.

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OVERCOATS!

DON'T FAIL to see our overcoats for men and boys. Say, they are fine? You can not grasp the meaning of this until you have seen them, then you will join in the chorus with those who have seen them and say, "are they not swell".

We are handling the most up-to-date line of Boys, Youths and Gents Suits in Wood County. Our prices are lower than you ever saw them before, and the value greater.



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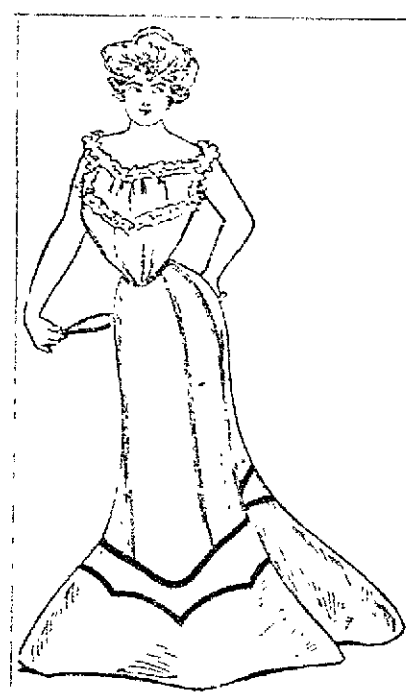
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In this line we defy competition. Fine sateen skirts from

75 Cents to 5 Dollars.

Such values were never seen before in history of our city.

Don't you think you need to try our ladies Fine Sweaters? Well you should and thus save doctor bills, colds are dangerous. You'll catch one if you don't wear a good sweater.



Ladies Cloaks, Coats, Furs and Tailored Suits Galore. All for a little money.

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WEST SIDE. GRAND RAPIDS.

Cloaks, Furs.

Cold weather is approaching and we will anticipate the season with a great Three days sale on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,

OCTOBER 20, 21, 22.

We want to make this a record breaking sale and have bought heavily in preparation for it. We have \$2,000 Stock of Cloaks and Furs, out of which we are sure you can make a becoming selection. We shall offer you a special low price on these days and will guarantee it to be so. The factory to you. The stock consists of Cloaks, Capes and Jackets in all the latest styles and most durable, dressy and popular cloths. We have a beautiful coat in seal and beaver for \$50, and others as low as \$30. Our cloth coats and capes range in price from \$5 to \$25.

Cocoa and Wafers Served

Every afternoon during the sale we will serve Cocoa and Wafers from 2 until 5 o'clock. Drop in and have a cup with us.

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SHORT LOCALS

Mrs. A. G. Miller returned home on Monday from a visit at Ashland.

Kramer's 10-piece orchestra will play for the show on Friday night.

Miss Becker of Chicago is in the city the guest of Miss Elise Krieger.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scheibe of Nekosia were in the city on Tuesday.

F. X. Grode of Nekosia was a business visitor in the city on Tuesday.

J. J. Emerick of Cranmoor was a business visitor in the city on Thursday.

John Lynchwick has sold his 40 acres of land at Rudolph. Consideration, \$300.

Attorney F. A. Cady went to Marshfield on Tuesday on a business trip.

August Bandelin has accepted a position in the Johnson & Hill drug store.

Merchant Bart Gaffney and wife of Arpin were in the city Tuesday on business.

Dr. Henry Wahle of Marshfield was in the city a short time on Tuesday on business.

J. E. Perry left to-day for Sparta and Tomah to be gone a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Broadwell of Sparta visited at the Voss residence several days last week.

Don't miss hearing Kramer's orchestra at "Caught in the Web" on Friday evening.

Jacob Lutz went to Stevens Point on Thursday on business, returning the day following.

Mrs. O. C. Atkinson left on Saturday for Madison to visit her relatives for a short time.

Henry Ebert purchased a fine black work team from C. E. Daly last week, paying \$400 therefor.

E. P. Arpin returned on Friday last from a trip in the northern part of the state on business.

Among the Nekosia visitors in the city on Tuesday were J. E. Thomas and Attorney H. E. Fitch.

Photographer Oscar Morterud returned on Tuesday from a few days' visit at his home at Bloomingdale.

Miss Jessie Jones of Pittsville was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McGlynn of the east side over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Reed of Necedah spent several days in the city last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kellogg.

Mrs. F. W. Bert left this morning for Green Bay where she will visit with friends and relatives for a short time.

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FRANK DUDLEY, Prop.

Miss Catherine Rood of Stevens Point arrived in the city on Tuesday and will organize a class in music here.

There will be good music at the show on Friday evening as Kramer's 10-piece orchestra will play for the event.

Mrs. W. H. Fitch of Cranmoor was in the city on Saturday and Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Witter.

The music at the show on Friday evening will be worth the price of admission as Kramer's orchestra is going to play.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Willard, father and mother of J. C. Willard, arrived in the city last Wednesday to visit their son for a time.

Miss Charlotte Lynn returned to Nekosia on Tuesday after spending two weeks visiting with friends and relatives in this city.

The Eagles will give a dancing party at their hall on Thursday evening. It is a foregone conclusion that there will be a good time.

Theodore Timmerman of Rudolph, one of the successful farmers of that section, was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Saturday.

Peter Doyle, who is now located at Duluth engaged in buying pulp wood for the Consolidated people, was in the city on Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ratelle of Loyal are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dudley, Mrs. Ratelle being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley.

T. J. Remann is putting a new front into the Rossier building on the west side and expects to occupy it with a stock of millinery by the 15th instant.

Spafford & Boyce, marble and granite dealers, recently placed a fine monument in the Plainfield cemetery, over the grave of Wm. Platten.

William, the 6 months old son of Owen Laughlin of Eron, died this morning from stomach trouble. The little one had been ill for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Flanagan of Vesper were in the city a short time on Thursday being on their way home from a two weeks visit with relatives at Omro.

Misses Ethel Kelley and Viola Garrison left on Friday last for Chicago where they expect to spend about two weeks the guest of their friend Miss Jane Durell.

Miss Dora Wood entertained a party of young people on Tuesday evening for Miss Katie McCarthy. A very pleasant evening was spent by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bogager have rented a portion of Mrs. Lyons' house on Vine street and will occupy this for the winter. Mrs. Bogager arrived in the city Monday evening.

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A. D. Hill has been nursing a very sore hand for several days past as the result of a scratch he received while handling a trunk. Blood poisoning set in but he is some what easier now.

Fred Wagner, an aged man living in the town of Hansen, died on Tuesday. He was 83 years of age. The funeral occurs to-morrow and the remains will be buried in the Sigel cemetery.

The physicians of Marathon county organized a branch of the American Medical association, last week. D. La-Count was elected president. D. Sourherring delegate to state medical association.

The Grand Rapids Lumber company is erecting a new dry shed on the premises, 20x58 in order to better accommodate the business in the lumber yard. H. Sampson, jr., is engineering the work.

Peter Labelle and son of Marshfield arrived in the city on Saturday for a visit at the Gallagher home in the town of Saratoga. Mr. Labelle is the driver of the fire engine at Marshfield and is taking his annual vacation.

Miss Edith Nash entertained a party of friends on Thursday evening at her home in honor of her friend, Miss Olive Cook of Medina, N. Y. Dancing was indulged in by the young folks and a good time was had.

Miss Nettie Niedzwiecki has returned to her home at Milwaukee after a two months' visit with her uncle and with Mrs. John Lynchwick on the west side. She is a cousin to Mrs. Lynchwick.

Mrs. Thos. McDowell of Port Allegheeny, Pa., arrived in the city last week Tuesday and is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Witter for two weeks. Mrs. McDowell and Mrs. Witter were school-mates years ago when Mrs. Witter lived in the east.

George B. Brazeau left on Monday for Auburndale, where he will have the management of the R. Connor company store. Mr. Brazeau formerly lived at Auburndale and at that time had charge of the store for the Connor company.

T. A. Taylor, E. A. Upham, Oscar Hathaway, Robert Farish, L. Kromer and George McMillan went to Stevens Point on Friday evening to attend a special session of the Crusade Commandery, at which there were several new members initiated.

Frank Dudley got into his new barber shop under the Dixon house on Sunday and since Monday morning has been open for business in his new quarters. Mr. Dudley also has a colored porter who attends to shining shoes and other work about the shop.

Very low rates to Kansas City, Mo., via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 16 to 21, inclusive, with very favorable return limits, on account of American Royal Live Stock Exhibition. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Chilton Times: It has been intimated that Gov. La Follette wears a celluloid collar and his reason for hurriedly removing the same, when delivering an address, is not for effect, but because he gets so hot under the collar when he thinks how "God's patient poor" are being used by the corporations that he fears the celluloid may ignite.

A party consisting of Herman Boetcher, Jacob Lutz, Nathan Church, Louis Schroeder, E. Hutchinson, John Horner, F. Beadle and A. W. Gitchell went to Stevens Point on Monday to confer the second and third degrees on a member in the Encampment. They report that they were royally entertained and enjoyed the evening very much.

Mothers and all others interested in kindergarten teaching are invited to meet the kindergarten supervisor in the kindergarten room of the Lowell building, seventh ward, on Thursday afternoon Oct. 15, at three o'clock. The fundamental principles of kindergarten teaching will be explained. ELLEN G. BENNETT.

The Civil Service Commission has just received a call from the Philippine government for 150 male teachers, with salaries as follows: 25 at \$1,200, 70 at 1,000 and 55 at \$900 per annum. It is desired to secure these teachers without unnecessary delay, and an examination will be held on October 19-20 in various cities.

Wausau Pilot: Miss Pansy Shortt, who has been a teacher in Wood Co. for some years past, and who was recently a student at the Training school in Grand Rapids, has moved to this county and has begun work at Rib Falls, on Monday.

BRIEF CITY ITEMS

Entertained at Cards.—Mrs. Katherine Thomas entertained a number of her friends at her art studio on Saturday evening, and a very pleasant time was had by those present. Progressive euchre was played by four tables full and when the credit marks were counted up George W. Mead received a prize for his dexterity in handling the pasteboards, as did also Mrs. Benlah Biron, who had won the most games among the ladies. Refreshments were served during the evening.

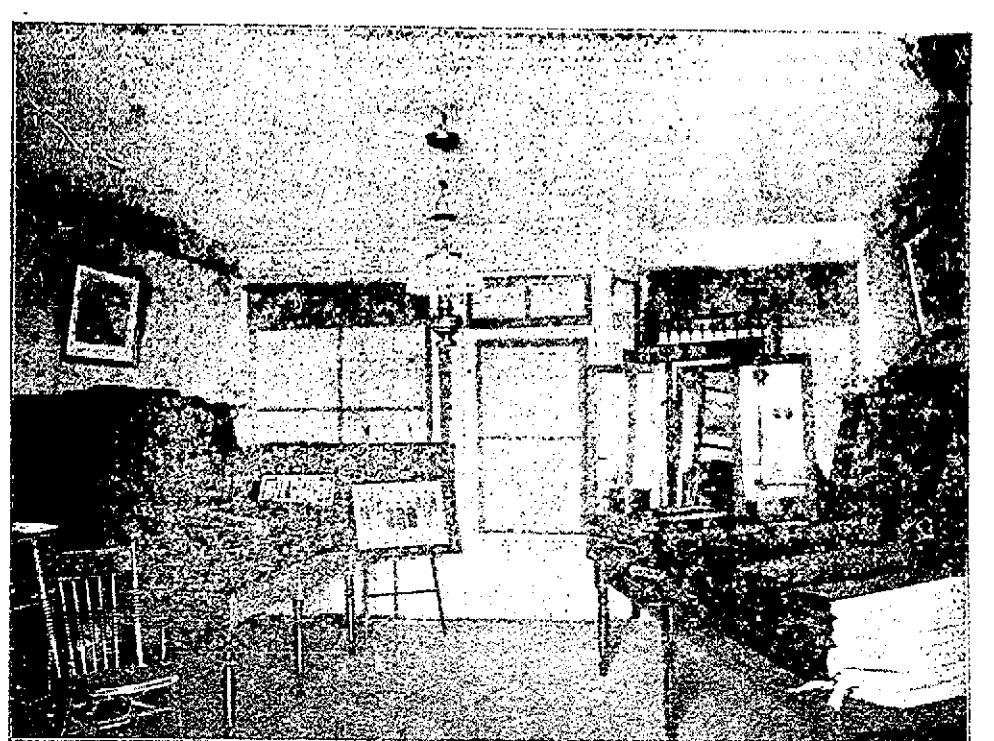
Few Lots Sold.—The Auction sale of lots at Wisconsin Heights on Thursday last was not much of a success, only seven or eight lots being disposed of, and those only bringing about \$75 apiece on an average. The one lot was given away as advertised and G. H. Carrington was the lucky man to draw the prize. It is apparent that the fabulous prices have been in vogue for some time are a thing of past and that real estate will settle down to something like a solid basis.

Jury Disagreed.—The jury in the case of the state against Hubert J. Cordell failed to come to an agreement on a verdict and as a consequence were discharged. District Attorney Brazeau recommended that Cordell be discharged, thinking this would be better than saddling the expense of another lawsuit on the county. This was done and Cordell has since been at liberty.

Shipping fat Sheep.—George Taylor shipped something over 700 fat sheep to the Chicago market on Monday. The sheep appeared to be in fine condition, but Mr. Taylor states that since the frost came the animals have no more than held their own. There are still about 800 on the ranch which will be shipped later on.

Few Jury Cases.—The jury was discharged on Friday after having only three days of work, only two of the criminal cases being tried, that of the state against Robert Pfund having been settled out of court. A majority of the civil cases were either settled out of court or continued.

Cost Him \$100.—Edward Whitney of Sherry was found guilty of simple assault upon Louis Jaques on Thursday last in circuit court and a fine of \$20 was imposed. This with the cost amounted to about \$100 which he was compelled to pay.



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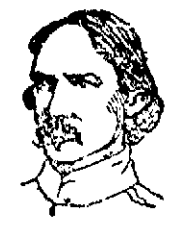
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The New Arabian Nights

By ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON



"I am gratified to hear you say so," replied the prince, "but my mind is not at rest. These servants are well trained spies, and already has not this miscreant succeeded three times in eluding their observation and spending several hours on end in private, and most likely dangerous, affairs? An amateur might have lost him by accident, but if Rudolph and Jerome were thrown off the scent it must have been done on purpose, and by a man who had a content reason and exceptional resources."

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Silas remembered where he was and that the hour was already near at hand when he ought to be upon the scene of his assignation. The more he reflected the less he liked the prospect, and as at that moment an eddy in the crowd began to draw him in the direction of the door he suffered it to carry him away without resistance. The eddy stranded him in a corner under the gallery, where his ear was immediately struck with the voice of Mme. Zephyrine. She was speaking in French with the young man of the blond locks who had been pointed out by the strange Britisher not half an hour before.

"I have a character at stake," she said, "for I would put no other condition than my heart recommends. But you have only to say so much to the porter, and he will let you go by without a word."

"But why this talk of debt?" objected her companion.

"Heavens!" said she. "Do you think I do not understand my own heart?"

And she went by, clinging affectionately to her companion's arm.

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Here he went through an agony of spirit in which he several times prayed to God for help, for Silas had been devoutly educated. He had now not the least inclination for the meeting. Nothing kept him from night but a silly fear lest he should be thought unmanly. But this was so powerful that it kept him against all other motives, and although it could not decide him to advance, prevented him from definitely running away. At last the clock indicated ten minutes past the hour. Young Scudamore's spirit began to rise. He peered round the corner and saw no one at the place of meeting. Doubtless his unknown correspondent had waited and gone away. He became as bold as he had formerly been timid. It seemed to him that if he came at all to the appointment, however late, he was clear from the charge of cowardice. Nay, now he began to suspect a hoax and actually complimented himself on his shrewdness in having suspected and outmaneuvered his mystifier. So very idle a thing is a boy's mind! Armed with these reflections, he advanced boldly from his corner, but he had not taken above a couple of steps before a hand was laid upon his arm. He turned and beheld a lady cast in a very large mold and with somewhat stately features, but bearing no mark of severity in her looks.

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and if any friends should visit you dismiss them at once on any pretext that most readily presents itself. Your door is probably shut by 10?" she asked.

"By 11," answered Silas.

"At a quarter past 11," pursued the lady, "leave the house. Merely cry for the door to be opened and be sure you fall into no talk with the porter, as that might ruin everything. Go straight to the corner where the Luxembourg gardens join the Boulevard. There you will find me waiting you. I trust you to follow my advice from point to point, and remember, if you fail me in only one particular you will bring the sharpest trouble on a woman whose only fault is to have seen and loved you."

"I cannot see the use of all these instructions," said Silas.

"I believe you are already beginning to treat me as a master," she cried, tapping him with her fan upon the arm. "Patience, patience! That should come in time. A woman loves to be obeyed at first, although afterward she finds her pleasure in obeying. Do as I ask you, for heaven's sake, or I will answer for nothing. Indeed, now I think of it," she added, with the manner of one who has just seen further into a difficulty, "I find a better plan of keeping importunate visitors away. Tell the porter to admit no one for you except a person who may come that night to claim a debt, and speak with some feeling, as though you feared the interview, so that he may take your words in earnest."

"I think you may trust me to protect myself against intruders," he said, not without a little pique.

"That is how I should prefer the thing arranged," she answered coldly. "I know you men. You think nothing of a woman's reputation."

Silas blushed and somewhat hung his head, for the scheme he had in view had involved a little vainglory before his acquaintances.

"Above all," she added, "do not speak to the porter as you come out."

"And why?" said he. "Of all your instructions that seems to me the least important."

"You at first doubted the wisdom of some of the others, which you now see to be very necessary," she replied. "The love me, this also has its uses. In time you will see them. And what am I to think of your affection if you refuse me such trifles at our first interview?"

Silas confounded himself in explanations and apologies. In the middle of these she looked up at the clock and clapped her hands together with a suppressed scream.

"Heavens!" she cried. "Is it so late? I have not an instant to lose. Alas, we poor women—what slaves we are! What have I not risked for you already?"

And after repeating her directions, which she artfully combined with caresses and the most abandoned looks, she bade farewell and disappeared among the crowd.

The whole of the next day Silas was filled with a sense of great importance. He was now sure she was a countess, and when evening came he minutely obeyed her orders and was at the corner of the Luxembourg gardens by the hour appointed. No one was there.

He waited nearly half an hour, looking in the face of every one who passed or loitered near the spot. He even visited the neighboring corners of the Boulevard and made a complete circuit of the garden railings, but there was no beautiful countess to throw herself into his arms. At last, and most reluctantly, he began to retrace his steps toward his hotel. On the way he remembered the words he had heard pass between Mme. Zephyrine and the blond young man, and they gave him an indefinite uneasiness.

"It appears," he reflected, "that every one has to tell lies to our porter." He rang the bell, the door opened before him, and the porter in his bed clothes came to offer him a light.

"Has he gone?" inquired the porter.

"He? Whom do you mean?" asked Silas somewhat sharply, for he was irritated by his disappointment.

"I did not notice him go out," continued the porter, "but I trust you paid him. We do not care in this house to have lodgers who cannot meet their liabilities."

"What do you mean?" demanded Silas rudely. "I cannot understand a word of this language."

"The short blond young man who came for his coat," returned the other. "He it is I mean. Who else should it be when I had your orders to admit no one else?"

"Of course he never came!" retorted Silas.

"I believe what I believe," returned the porter, pinching his tongue into his cheek with a most forcible air.

"You are an honest scoundrel!" cried Silas. And feeling that he had made a ridiculous exhibition of asperity, and at the same time bewildered by a dozen alarms, he turned and began to run upstairs.

"Do you not want a light, then?" cried the porter.

But Silas only hurried the faster and did not pause until he had reached the seventh landing and stood in front of his own door. There he waited a moment to recover his breath, assailed by the worst forebodings and almost dreading to enter the room.

When at last he did so, he was relieved to find it dark and to all appearance untenanted. He drew a long breath. Here he was home again in safety, and this should be his last folly as certainly as it had been his first. The matches stood on a little table by the bed, and he began to grope his way in that direction. As he moved, his apprehensions grew upon him once more, and he was pleased, when his foot encountered an obstacle, to find it nothing more alarming than a chair. At

the window, the shadow was faintly visible, he knew he must be at the foot of the bed and had only to feel his way along it in order to reach the table in question.

He lowered his hand, but what it touched was not simply a counterpane—it was a counterpane with something underneath it like the outline of a human leg. Silas withdrew his arm and stood for a moment petrified.

"What, what?" he thought, "can this be?"

He listened intently, but there was no sound of breathing. Once more, with a great effort, he reached out the end of his finger to the spot he had already touched, but this time he tapped back half a yard and stood shivering and fixed with terror. There was something in his bed. What it was he knew not, but there was something there.

It was some seconds before he could move. Then, guided by an instinct, he fell straight upon the matches and, keeping his back toward the bed, lighted a candle. As soon as the flame had kindled, he turned slowly round and looked for what he feared to see. Sure enough, there was the worst of his imaginations realized. The coverlet was drawn carefully up over the pillow, but it molded the outlines of a human body lying motionless, and when he dashed forward and flung aside the sheets he beheld the blond young man he had seen in the Bullier ball the night before, his eyes open and without speculation, his face swollen and blackened, and a thin stream of blood trickling from his nostrils.

Silas uttered a long tremulous wail, dropped the candle and fell on his knees beside the bed. Silas was awakened from the stupor into which his terrible discovery had plunged him by a prolonged but discreet tapping at the door. It took him some seconds to remember his position, and when he hastened to prevent any one from entering it was already too late. Dr. Noel, in a tall nightcap, carrying a lamp which lighted up his long white countenance, sifting in his gait and peering and cocking his head like some sort of bird, pushed the door slowly open and advanced into the middle of the room.

"I thought I heard a cry," began the doctor, "and fearing you might be unwell, I did not hesitate to offer this intrusion."

Silas, with a flushed face and a fearful beating heart, kept between the doctor and the bed, but he found no voice to answer.

"You are in the dark," pursued the doctor, "and yet you have not even begun to prepare for rest. You will not easily persuade me against my own eyesight, and your face declares most eloquently that you require either a friend or a physician—which is it to be? Let me feel your pulse, for that is often a just reporter of the heart."

He advanced to Silas, who still retreated before him backward, and sought to take him by the wrist, but the strain on the young American's nerves had become too great for endurance. He avoided the doctor with a febrile movement and, throwing himself upon the floor, burst into a flood of weeping.

Continued Next Week.

Broke Into his House.

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Ether and Ether.

When the friends of the rival claimants of the discovery of anesthesia were proposing monuments for each other Oliver Wendell Holmes suggested that all should unite in erecting a single memorial, with a central group symbolizing painless surgery, a statue of Jackson on one side, a statue of Morton on the other and the inscription beneath, "To Ether."

Odd Chinese Custom.

In China a jar placed on the roof of a house with the bottom end toward the street indicates that the daughter of the house is not yet of age to marry. As soon as she has developed into a marriageable maiden the jar is turned with its mouth toward the street. When the young lady gets married the jar is removed altogether.

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A Curious Sight Occasionally Witnessed in Tropical Waters.

Of the many sights witnessed in the oceans of the globe, one of the most curious and most weird is that described by sailors as "the milky sea," ships being surrounded for several hours by water that appears to be a snowy whiteness. The spectacle is restricted to the darkness of night and rare occasions, and, while it is limited mainly to the warm waters of the tropical belt, it appears to be more common in the Indian ocean than in the Atlantic and Pacific. From the white water the light is so strong that ordinary newspaper print can be read on board ship, but the scene all round is of an awe inspiring description. The horizon is blotted out, sea and sky seem to become one in a sort of universal luminous fog, which, like a London fog robs the observer of the sense of distance and direction, the deck being lit up with a ghastly, shadowless light. Once off the west coast of South America a bucket of the white water emptied back into the sea resembled molten lead. This curious sight has interested scientific investigators, but while it is no doubt related to the many phosphorescent displays common at sea there is no sufficient explanation forthcoming of this particular manifestation or of the singular atmospheric effect resulting from it.

How to Cut Whalebone.
Whalebone may be easily cut if first warmed over a lamp or by the fire. After this it will become quite soft.

9-9-W5 Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Phoebe Abbey, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said Phoebe Abbey, deceased, having been granted and issued to Adam Shedd on the 21st day of September, 1905, it is now at this special term of this court.

Ordered, that all creditors of said Phoebe Abbey, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 21st day of April, 1906, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular April term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 21st day of April, 1906, and the second Tuesday, being the 12th day of April, 1906.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order in a newspaper of the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, in the first publication to be within ten days from the date of the order.

Dated September 21st, 1905.
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

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Wood County Court—In Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Patrick Henry Harkin, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said Patrick Henry Harkin, deceased, having been granted and issued to Patrick W. Harkin on the 11th day of September, 1905, it is now at this special term of this court.

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"At a quarter past 11," pursued the lady, "leave the house. Merely cry for the door to be opened and be sure you fall into no talk with the porter, as that might ruin everything. Go straight to the corner where the Luxembourg gardens join the Boulevard. There you will find me waiting you. I trust you to follow my advice from point to point, and remember, if you fail me in only one particular you will bring the sharpest trouble on a woman whose only fault is to have seen and loved you."

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"I believe you are already beginning to treat me as a master," she cried, tapping him with her fan upon the arm. "Patience, patience! That should come in time. A woman loves to be obeyed at first, although afterward she finds her pleasure in obeying. Do as I ask you, for heaven's sake, or I will answer for nothing. Indeed, now I think of it," she added, with the manner of one who has just seen further into a difficulty, "I find a better plan of keeping importunate visitors away. Tell the porter to admit no one for you except a person who may come that night to claim a debt, and speak with some feeling, as though you feared the interview, so that he may take your words in earnest."

"I think you may trust me to protect myself against intruders," he said, not without a little pique.

"That is how I should prefer the thing arranged," she answered coldly. "I know you men. You think nothing of a woman's reputation."

Silas blushed and somewhat hung his head, for the scheme he had in view had involved a little vainglory before his acquaintances.

"Above all," she added, "do not speak to the porter as you come out."

"And why?" said he. "Of all your instructions that seems to me the least important."

"You at first doubted the wisdom of some of the others, which you now see to be very necessary," she replied. "The love me, this also has its uses. In time you will see them. And what am I to think of your affection if you refuse me such trifles at our first interview?"

Silas confounded himself in explanations and apologies. In the middle of these she looked up at the clock and clapped her hands together with a suppressed scream.

"Heavens!" she cried. "Is it so late? I have not an instant to lose. Alas, we poor women—what slaves we are! What have I not risked for you already?"

And after repeating her directions, which she artfully combined with caresses and the most abandoned looks, she bade farewell and disappeared among the crowd.

The whole of the next day Silas was filled with a sense of great importance. He was now sure she was a countess, and when evening came he minutely obeyed her orders and was at the corner of the Luxembourg gardens by the hour appointed. No one was there.

He waited nearly half an hour, looking in the face of every one who passed or loitered near the spot. He even visited the neighboring corners of the Boulevard and made a complete circuit of the garden railings, but there was no beautiful countess to throw herself into his arms. At last, and most reluctantly, he began to retrace his steps toward his hotel. On the way he remembered the words he had heard pass between Mme. Zephyrine and the blond young man, and they gave him an indefinite uneasiness.

"It appears," he reflected, "that every one has to tell lies to our porter." He rang the bell, the door opened before him, and the porter in his bed clothes came to offer him a light.

"Has he gone?" inquired the porter.

"He? Whom do you mean?" asked Silas somewhat sharply, for he was irritated by his disappointment.

"I did not notice him go out," continued the porter, "but I trust you paid him. We do not care in this house to have lodgers who cannot meet their liabilities."

"What do you mean?" demanded Silas rudely. "I cannot understand a word of this language."

"The short blond young man who came for his coat," returned the other. "He it is I mean. Who else should it be when I had your orders to admit no one else?"

"Of course he never came!" retorted Silas.

"I believe what I believe," returned the porter, pinching his tongue into his cheek with a most forcible air.

"You are an honest scoundrel!" cried Silas. And feeling that he had made a ridiculous exhibition of asperity, and at the same time bewildered by a dozen alarms, he turned and began to run upstairs.

The wedding of Wm. Schultz and Miss Emma Buss. They were married in the Lutheran church here by Rev. Krusche. Their many friends wish them good luck in their new life.

Martin Timm and Amelia Hadke were united in matrimony by Rev. Krusche last Wednesday afternoon. Both young people are well known here and everyone wishes them a long and useful life.

Henry Pribbeno has rented the saloon building formerly occupied by John Boles. It was opened for business Saturday evening.

A small but happy crowd gathered in the hall here on Saturday for the dance. Everyone present seemed to have a fine time.

J. C. Jordan, who represents the Western Supply Co. of Chicago, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Andrew Carter and family spent Sunday here with Mrs. Carter's mother, Mrs. Buss.

G. H. Monroe is at home with his family at Spring Creek, owing to the illness of his wife.

Mr. Grode, who travels for Wyman, Partridge & Co., was calling on trade here Thursday.

Miss Susie Granger of your city spent Friday here with her brother.

Pete Christman was a Kellner visitor Monday morning.

J. M. Gage spent Sunday in our burg on business.

O. D. Billings drove to Nekeosa last Thursday.

Saves two From Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and pneumonia," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. My niece who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infants for Coughs and colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by John E. Daily. Trial bottles free.

REMINOTON.

A very amusing incident occurred here Friday morning. Miss Haber, the teacher, forgot the key and the children gained entrance through the window by means of a ladder. Charlie Meyer was sent after the key as the teachers boarding place was only a short distance from the school house.

The school in the town of Remington opened Monday morning Oct. 3, as Miss Haber teaching the school. Her attendance has only been eight a whole week.

Carl Rott and Emile Barcoski are sitting ready to leave for Iowa, where they will try and make their home. Rott will also take a trip to California.

Charles Lowe returned Sunday afternoon from Grand Rapids where he has been on the jury the fore part of the week.

The farmers are all digging their potatoes and husking their corn. Mr. Lowe expects a good crop.

A dance was held at the Cheese factory on Saturday evening and all sport an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Stephen Cummings was the guest of her sister Mrs. Lowe on Sunday.

The farmers are now hauling their potatoes to town. It is beginning to look like winter.

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SIGEL.

Eric Crumstead must have some reaction in Sigel, for he does not as a Sunday, rain or shine. Perhaps some of his folks are sick.

Miss Flo Berg spent Sunday at home but returned to the Rapids in the morning, where she is attending the chess training school.

John Holand has sold his farm to a Olson, for a sum of fifteen hundred dollars. Mr. Holand expects to turn to Sparta.

Messrs. Chas. and Gust. Carlson accompanied by their brother John, returned to Glidden last week.

Services to be held at the Swedish Lutheran church, next Sunday, by E. C. Carlström of Morris.

Mrs. Fred Henke spent last week at her guest of her daughter, a Monk.

Miss Mayne Magnusson of Wausau visiting friends here this week.

Miss Berdina Berg visited with friends in your city on Friday.

His are out for a ball at Derrick's on Thursday, Oct. 17th.

Mr. Young was in your city Friday business.

Steve Greene was in your city on Saturday.

His potato crop is very poor this year.

Bronchitis for Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which cured me."

PEYLSVILLE.

The dance at Howlett's hall was a grand success. It was largely attended and every body reports a good time.

Martin Pyl is improving his cheese factory by a coat of paint. Art. Fry is doing the work.

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ALTDORF.

Chas. Wipfli leaves for the northern part of the state today to work in the woods. It will seem quiet in Altdorf not to hear Chichs whistling.

Anton Wipfli, Mrs. Keyes and Mrs. Frank Wipfli visited the Jos. Schiller family on the Bennett marsh Sunday.

Miss Clara Reusch, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ham, at Rudolph, returned home last Sunday.

Leo Reusch, being on the jury list, spent last week at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. John Schütz and son Paul spent Sunday at J. E. Nacht's.

M. H. Schütz of Grand Rapids spent Sunday here visiting friends.

"Caught in the Web."

It is a detective story of the kind we like to read, with a strong plot and counterplot, and thrilling situations nearly every minute. The story is that of a young detective, who is sent to arrest his best friend for the robbery of a bank. The cashier of the bank, who is a villain of the deepest dye, is the real thief, and it is through his machinations that the young man is accused of the crime. A pretty love story is intertwined in the striking scenes, and the comedy work of a funny Irishman relieves the tension of the plot. The scenic effects are especially good, and particularly those of the last act. Here is shown the interior of a police station, a saloon and a gambling den, each separately and without dropping the curtain. Every scene is a sensational one, and the audience goes wild at the close of each act, at Grand Opera House Friday night.

Tulip and hacinth bulbs ready at Riverdale Farm. Telephone 266.

The wrestling match between Fred Beell and Ed. Adamson which is to take place at Marshfield on Thursday evening, October 29th, has worked up considerable interest to lovers of this sport throughout the northern part of the state. The fact that it will be a struggle on its merits and the enormous side bet has a good deal to do with it. Seldom do men meet on the mat today for a side bet of \$2,000. The sale of reserved seats has been large and the prospects are, that 1,000 people will witness the bout. Those who have watched the work of Beell since his career on the mat and his rapid rise realize that he has a task on his hands and that it will mean a great deal for him to win. Adamson is rated as the best man in the country at his weight and without a doubt the best man Beell has ever met, barring Dan McLeod.

Arrangements are being made for rates on all roads and a number from here will attend.

No danger of consumption if you use Foley's Honey and Tar to cure that stubborn cough.

Dumas on Age.

Dumas fits used to be a neighbor of Lord Salisbury at Pny, and the two were on most friendly terms. One day—it was twenty-five years ago—a friend commented on the English marquis' aged and worn appearance, comparing it with Dumas' youthfulness, although the Frenchman was eight years older than the Englishman. Dumas, the friend, said that this proved a man was only as old as he looks, to which Dumas replied: "Don't talk nonsense, my dear fellow. You may deceive others, but not yourself, as regards your age. You remind me of our poor friend, George Sand, who said, 'We are ill only when we allow ourselves to be so, we die because we do so. It, and we grow old because we have not the energy to remain young.' These are pretty paradoxes to which people treat themselves for the sake of illusion. Illness is watching for us, death paws around us, old age grips us with its crow's feet, and we are unable to defend ourselves."

In a Nutshell.

Here is a good story for a mothers' club meeting. It is told of the late General Hector MacDonald. Always a man of few words, when sending his only son to a public school for the first time he addressed the following brief note to the head master: "Here with my boy, Doctor, to be made a man of," a sentence worthy of being handed down to posterity as a remarkable example of brevity and sterling common sense.

Parturient Paresis or parturient Apoplexy, is characterized by the following symptoms:

The newly calved adult cow that has had an easy labor and "cleaned" promptly, suddenly becomes restless, sticks her tongue out, refuses feed, steps up and down with her hind feet, gets a "kink" in her neck, "wabbles" when exercised, and finally goes down paralyzed, with milk, urine and manure suppressed, tucks her head in to her side, snores loudly, becomes bloated, unconscious, and lies stretched out upon her side until death occurs in from three hours to three days. Some cows show delirium, struggle and pound the head upon the ground. The majority of cases, however, are quiet, and have no fever; the temperature is more often below normal.

Cause. The exact cause of milk fever has not been determined but Dr. J. Schmidt, a Danish veterinarian, points out that the disease may be due to poisonous products derived from tissue changes taking place in the udder, while experience teaches that certain conditions apparently render a cow of the proper age peculiarly susceptible. A few of these aggravating causes are: hot, badly ventilated, filthy stables; heavy feeding upon grain foods (concentrates) right up to the time of calving; lack of exercise; excessive use of succulent foods; sudden plethora induced by new grass in spring; heredity; immediate and complete removal of the first milk produced after calving, or immediate removal of the newborn calf.

Natural Prevention. It is safe to assert that the disease may be absolutely prevented by the adoption of the following simple, natural methods. Start six weeks prior to calving and feed cow upon dry hay, bran, mash and little flaxseed meal, but no corn, cornmeal, shorts, middlings, oatmeal, gluten meal, malt sprouts, or any similar concentrate. One month from calving increase the amount of flaxseed meal mixed in the branmashes to insure keeping the bowels freely open. If there is a tendency to constipation, despite the increased amount of oilmeal, dissolve two ounces of epsom salts in the mash or drinking water once or twice daily as required. One week before calving double the amount of oilmeal daily, and give at calving, if the cow is constive, one pound of epsom salts, one ounce of ground ginger root and one ounce of saltpeter with a cup full of molasses in two quarts of warm water. At one dose, slowly and carefully from a long necked bottle. During all this time the cow is to be given ample outdoor exercise daily to keep her blood in full circulation. All the organs of the body in proper order and her muscles full and strong.

This method of preventive treatment applies equally to the susceptible cow whose calf is expected when green grass is in its "spring flush." She is to be kept in a dry yard and there to have the same food and care given the cow about the calf prior to the advent of grass. When calf comes allow it to suckle for 3 days or draw off some of the milk frequently by hand; do not milk clean at first.

Medicinal Prevention. Unless the cow has suffered a previous attack or the disease predisposing her to a second attack and necessitating larger doses of medicine, it will be found safe and sufficient in average cases to give her as a preventive one-half drachm of iodide of potash twice daily for three days, then three times daily during the week preceding parturition, and two drachms the moment it is observed that she is about to calve. Where the cow is fat she may also have two drachms immediately after parturition. While this plan succeeds it checks milk flow after calving hence is somewhat objectionable.

Treatment. Place cow attacked with milk fever in a box stall or in a shady place in summer time when out of doors.

Prop her up by means of bags filled with straw so that she must lie upon her sternum (breast bone). Keep her head up in the same manner. She will soon bloat and die if allowed to lie upon her side. Tap the paunch with trocar and cannula if she is bloated when found. Give no drenches of medicine by the mouth. Strip away the milk; wash the udder clean with warm water and soap, adding zenoleum to make a 2 per cent solution. This done, place the udder upon a clean rubber sheet to prevent soiling. By means of a five-foot length of quarter-inch rubber hose, in one end of which has been inserted a large milking tube and the other a glass funnel, infuse very slowly into each teat in turn half a pint of a milk-warm solution of 2 drachms of iodide of potash in one quart of freshly boiled water. Then rub the udder well once an hour until the liquid has been absorbed.

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In addition to the above treatment syringe a gallon of soapy, warm water into the rectum every four hours; remove the urine by means of a catheter at least twice daily; repeat the infusion of iodide of potash solution if the cow is not up inside of twenty-four hours. Give by the mouth one drachm of fluid extract of nux vomica in a tablespoonful of water every six hours. Turn the cow partly every four hours so that the hind leg can be pulled forward and outward to retain her on her chest, let her drink when she can do so and feed a soft mash when she becomes conscious. Feed her carefully for a few days and as a rule this will be the last of the treatment necessary.

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Otto Ferderwitz, of Port Edwards, and Lizzie Small, of Marshfield.

John McConnell and Lillian Kennedy, both of Pittsfield.

Charles F. R. Kuserow, of Lebanon, Waupaca county, and Augusta J. Noetzel, of Grand Rapids.

Wm. S. Campbell and Agnes Doroshia, both of Nekeosa.

Wm. Schultz, of Sigel, and Emma Buss, of Saratoga.

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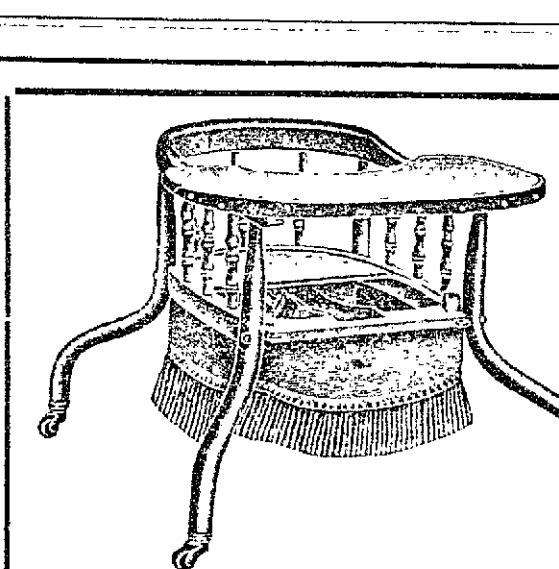
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